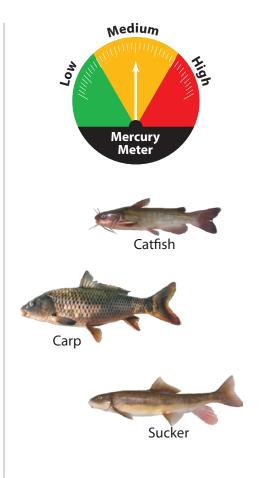
A guide to eating fish caught in the San Joaquin River

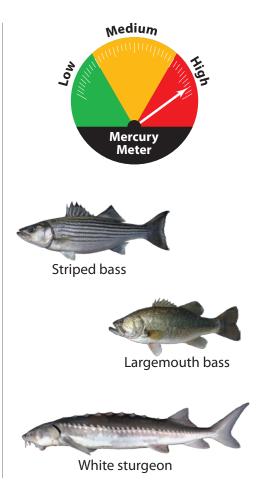
From Friant Dam to the Port of Stockton

Women 18 - 45 and children 1 - 17

Medium Mercury Meter Bluegill or redear sunfish Steelhead trout* Chinook (king) salmon

American shad





= High in Omega-3s

* It is only legal to keep hatchery steelhead and only in select waters, see www.wildlife.ca.gov/Regulations

2 servings a week OR 3 servings a week shad

OR

1 serving per week

Do not eat **AND** Do not eat any fish or shellfish from the Port of Stockton

Men over 17 and women over 45 can safely eat more fish

- 7 servings a week OR 5 servings a week of bluegill or redear sunfish OR
- 2 servings a week OR
- **2 servings a week** of striped bass

1 serving a week of largemouth bass or white sturgeon

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What is a serving?



The recommended serving of fish is about the size and thickness of vour hand. Give children smaller servings.

Why eat fish?

Eating fish is good for your health. Fish have Omega-3s that can reduce your risk for heart disease and improve how the brain develops in unborn babies and children.

What is the concern?

Some fish have high levels of mercury and PCBs. Mercury can harm the brain especially in unborn babies and children. PCBs can cause cancer.